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WEATHER REPORT
Fair tonight and probably Saturday; not quite so warm tonight; light variable winds. High tide, 8:28 a. m. and 8:48 p. m.
Sun rose 5:36. Sun sets 6:17

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DUMBA MUST BE RECALLED

Austria-Hungary Notified That He is Not Acceptable to U. S.

INVOLVED IN RIOTS

Action of this Government a Reproof For Efforts to Hamper Manufacturers of Munitions

Washington, Sept. 10—Ambassador Penfield, at Vienna, has been instructed by cable to inform the Austro-Hungarian Government that Dr. Constantin Dumba no longer is acceptable as an envoy to the United States and to ask for his recall.

It was the answer of the American Government to Dr. Dumba's explanation of his intercepted letter to Vienna outlining plans for handicapping plans in this country making war supplies for the Allies.

Ambassador Penfield was instructed by cable yesterday to deliver the following note to the Foreign office:

"Mr. Constantin Dumba, the Austro-Hungary Ambassador at Washington; has admitted that he proposed to his Government plans to instigate strikes in American manufacturing plants engaged in the production of munitions of war. The information reached this Government through a copy of a letter of the Ambassador to his Government. The bearer was an American citizen named Archibald, who was traveling under an American passport. The Ambassador has admitted that he employed Archibald to bear official dispatches from him to his Government.

"By reason of the admitted purpose and intent of Mr. Dumba, to conspire to cripple legitimate industries of the people of the United States and to interrupt their legitimate trade and by reason of the flagrant violation of diplomatic propriety in employing an American citizen protected by an American passport as a secret bearer of official dispatches through the lines of the enemy of Austria-Hungarary, the President directs me to inform your Excellency that Mr. Dumba is no longer acceptable to the Government of the United States as the Ambassador of his Imperial Majesty at Washington.

"Believing that the Imperial and Royal Government will realize that the Government of the United States has no alternative but to request the recall of Mr. Dumba on account of his improper conduct, the Government of the United States expresses its deep regret that this course has become necessary and assures the Imperial and Royal Government that it sincerely desires to continue the cordial and friendly relations which exist between the United States and Austria-Hungary."

The belief is strong that this Government will take a similar step in the case of Captain von Papen, the German military attache in this country. The letter written by Dr. Dumba to his Government, which was found among the effects of James F. J. Archibald, when he was arrested by the English police, indicated that Captain von Papen was equally interested in the scheme to cause strikes in American manufacturing plants.

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Because of the killing of two British officers near Bushire, Persia, and the failure of the Persian Government to punish the tribal chiefs concerned in the affair, who, it is declared, were assisted by Germans, Bushire, a city of upward of 15,000 population on the Persian Gulf, was occupied by the British without opposition on August 8. Conditions in Persia are going from bad to worse. The Persian Central Telegraph line has been cut since August 15 and the road from Bushire is completely blocked. The gendarmeries, it is declared, are unpaid and dissatisfied and fighting is reported among the tribes outside of Kashan, between Teheran and Ispahan.

Oyster Season open, at the Rammel Cafe.

CONSPIRACY OF SERVANT

House Boy Clears Up Mystery of Murder of Mrs. Nichols.

New York, Sept. 10—The murder that resulted in the death of Mrs. Elizabeth Griggs Nichols, widow of Joseph E. Nichols, founder of Austin, Nichols & Co., wholesale grocers, has been cleared up by the confession of Onni Tallas, 22 years old, a Russian-Finn house boy, employed by the dead woman.

The crime was the result of a conspiracy of servants, who aimed to obtain a great fortune in jewels that Mrs Nichols was reputed to own. They had no intention of killing her. Implicated in the conspiracy; according to the police, is Tallas, a tool, planted in the house when the deed was conceived; a former employe and two men known to the police; but whose names are being withheld.

Whether Mrs. Nichols died from injuries inflicted by the burglars or shock superinduced by the attack is still a matter of conjecture, the announcement of Dr. Otto T. Schultze; State medical examiner and Dr. Benwho performed the autopsy, being vague. Their verdict was that Mrs. Nichols had been afflicted with chronic intestinal nephritis and hperthropy of the left ventricle. Abrasions of the forehead also were noted. These combined with the shock of the attack, the physicians stated, might have produced death. But whether the woman died from the direct attack or as a result of it, her assailants are guilty of murder under the law.

Tallas' confession came after all night gruelling at the hands of the police and when it was finished Inspector Faurot admitted the police were looking for Arthur Waldemar; alias Walters, alias Finland; who formerly was employed by Mrs. Nichols as an assistant butler, and two other men, whose names were withheld also are sought.

The confession clears Edith Tanfeldt, maid to Mrs. Nichols, Ileona Toivonen; cook, and Ernest Bita); butler in the household, of all complicity in the crime, but they are held as material witnesses.

According to the confession of Tallas, his position with the Nichols household was obtained for him by Waldemar, who he names as the instigator of the crime and for several weeks importuned him to take part in the robbery of the wealthy woman. Tallas refused, he says, until a scheme was proposed to him by which he was to let the men in the house, be bound, and have nothing further to do with the deed except to share in the loot.

With the understanding that no harm was to come to his employer; Tallas confesses that he finally agreed to the plan on Tuesday night, and the deed was set for Wednesday night; when it was known that the butler and the maid would be out. Failure of the burglars to tie Tallas' feet as well as his hands led the police to suspect his story.

Just what jewels are missing is not known, but the thieves only secured the valuables worn at the time by Mrs. Nichols, the major portion of her collection being in a safe deposit vault

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DUMBA'S LETTER

Communication to Baron Burian Entirely in Handwriting of Austrian Ambassador.

Washington, Sept. 10—An exact copy in German, of the letter from Dr. Dumba to Baron Burian, entrusted to Archibald for delivery to the Vienna official, has been received here by cable from London.

The Austrian Ambassador makes direct references to the "preparation of disturbances in the Bethlehem Schwab's steel and munition factory, as well as in the Middle West," and expresses the opinion that it would be possible, if not to prevent entirely, the production of war material there, t "strongly disorganize it and hold it up for month."

The letter was entirely in Dr. Dumba's handwriting.

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ASSIGNED A COMMAND

Berlin, Sept. 10—Gen. Friedrich A. J. von Bernhardi has been assigned to a field command at his own request, by Emperor William. He has already left for the front.

General von Bernhardi is one of the best-known military writers of Germany. In a book entitled "Germany and the Next War," written in 1912, he forecast many of the main features of the present campaigns.

ANGRY CROWDS MENACE TEUTONS

London Police on Guard Before Boarded Up German Shops

RESULT OF AIR RAIDS

Horror and Resentment in English Capital—People in City Get First Glimpse of War.

London, Sept. 10—Serious outbreaks by maddened mobs are threatened here today as the result of the Zeppelins' latest bombardment. Special constables were sent to guard German shops boarded up since the internment of enemy aliens.

The anti-German feeling reached fever heat. No incident since the war began has aroused such horror and resentment in London as the raid over the capital on Wednesday night when men, women, and children were killed or wounded by explosive bombs from the Kaiser's dirigibles.

The censor passed, without any comment as to its accuracy by th government, the Berlin claim that the western part of the city of London, the factories near Norwich, and the harbor and iron works near Middlesborough were attacked by the Zeppelins.

It is improbable that this German report will either be confirmed or denied, officials believing that any statement might be useful to the enemy in establishing the locality raided and prove of value on future Zeppelin raids on England.

The raid of Zeppelins is described by the Pall Mall Gazette as "Londoners first glimpse of the war at close quarters."

The Evening Standard comments on the coolness shown everywhere, but warns the public against the "noaiceably widespread and dangerous disposition to regard the affair as a species of spectacle."

It suggests that in addition to the Zeppelin, which, within limits, "is a terrible instrument of war." there is also danger from anti-aircraft guns Therefore, the public, it says, would be well advised to take aerial visitors more seriously than it did last night.

The Daily Telegraph, in an editorial expressing disappointment at the escape of the Zeppelin raiders and horror at the raids, protests that the Germans gained no military advantage whatever, and failed even to terrorize civilians.

"Indeed," says the Telegraph, "in many places in the London district the spectacle of a Zeppelin high up in the heavens with searchlights flashing upon it and shells bursting all around was regarded, and even enjoyed, as a unique and thrilling experience.

"Other feelings were naturally aroused in neighborhoods where incendiary and explosive bombs fell, but even these caused no panic. The sense of outrage was strong, but of intimidation not a sign."

The Telegraph thinks now t Londoners have been provided with an object-lesson on limited scale of what explosive bombs are capable of in the way of destruction.

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GERMANS SEND GOLD AWAY

Capitalists Reported as Prudently Putting Their Money in Places of Safety Abroad.

Paris, Sept. 10—German journals announce that there is at least $250,000,000 in gold still in German private hands.

The special correspondent of the Echo de Paris at Geneva, however; says that it is very likely that this gold already has crossed the frontier For some time German capitalists have very prudently been putting their gold in places of safety abroad.

Within three months, says the correspondent, Swiss banks have received from Germany nearly $3,200,000 in gold. Deposits in other neutral countries are said to be even greater.

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Oyster Season open, Rammel Cafe.

ADDRESS TO THE CZAR

Petrograd Prays For More Active Prosecution of War.

Petrograd, Sept. 10—The municipality of Petrograd has unanimously adopted an address to the Czar praying for a more active prosecution of the war. The petition urges that "the lack of success is rooted not merely in the strength of the foe, but in the long-standing infirmities of our national life and the impotence of the authorities to whom, in peace and war was entrusted the task of organizing for victory, developing our armed providing for their establishment" to carry the war to a triumphant conclusion.

The petitioners pray for a government "innocent of sins of the past and strong in the confidence of the people, capable of rising to the heights of wise statesmanship demanded by the seriousness of the moment."

The address concludes:

"The Petrograd municipal Duma turns to the Emperor with the prayer that new men be called to power, that a government be established which is strong in the faith of the people and at the head of which may be placed he in whom the country believes."

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GERMANY'S NOTE

Suggests That Arabic Case be Submitted to Hague Tribunal.

Berlin, Sept. 10—In its note to the United States on the sinking of the White Star liner Arabic, handed to Ambassador Gerard here, the German government says that it "most deeply regrets that lives were lost through the action of the commander; it particularly expresses this regret to the government of the United States on account of the death of American citizens." and adds: "The German government is unable, however; to acknowledge any obligation to grant indemnity in the matter; even if the commander should have been mistaken as to the aggressive intentions of the Arabic."

The suggestion is made that any question in dispute besubmitted to The Hague tribunal for settlement.

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WILL ENTER MINISTRY

Pardoned Prisoner Will Study Theology in a College

Moundsville, W. Va., Sept. 10—From the prison cell to the college campus and the minister's frock will be the transition of George Jones, sent up to the State penitentiary for life from Wyoming county for murder, who walked forth a free man yesterday, paroled by Governor Hatfield. He will go to Kentucky, where he will enter college and prepare himself for the ministry.

Jones' release was secured through the ntercession of Miss Emma Davis. sister of United States Solicitor John W. Davis, who has been engaged in prison relief work for many years and who became interested in Jones through letters he wrote her in behalf of other prisoners.

When Jones was received in the penitentiary he was an illiterate boy 20. He left the penitentiary a well-educated man of 40.

Jones confessed to killing Gordon Belcher, a neighbor and playmate, in an argument over the division of $14. He has been a model prisoner.

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DENY GERMAN REPORT

White Star Officials Repudicate Story That Arabic Tried to Sink Submarine.

Liverpool, Sept. 10—In view of the statement contained in the German note to America, the White Star offices here today reiterated the previous denial of the German report that the liner Arabic tried to ram the submarine that sank her.

Neither the Arabic captain or any of her officers saw the submarine, it was stated, and consequently it was impossible for the liner to have attempted an attack.

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GIVEN EIGHT YEARS

Washingon, Sept 10—David Rothchild, former prominent Washington attorney, pleaded guilty to charges of forgery and uttering in Criminal Court this morning, and was sentenced to eight years in the penitentiary by Justice Siddons.

Rothchild was arraigned on two separate indictments and entered pleas of guilty on each.

FLORENCE ORMSBY TELLS HER STORY

Dr. Mohr's Secretary Says Wife Claimed Right to Kill Husband

QUARREL WITH NEGRO

Dead Man Had Been Annoyed by Mrs. Mohr's Threats, But Would Not Have Her Arrested.

Providence, Sept. 10—Miss Florance Ormsby, secretary to Dr. C. Franklin Mohr, who was murdered on the Barrington road on August 31, says that Mrs. Mohr has told her that she had a right to kill her husband, and that the law would uphold her. Miss Mohr had just been told that Miss Emily Burger had been re-engaged as housekeeper at the doctor's Newport home.

Miss Ormsby also said that Victor Brown, the negro charged with killing Dr. Mohr, had called at the doctor's office the day before the shooting andafter demanding to know why he had been discharged had nearly come to blows with the doctor and had threatened him.

"I was sitting at the desk in the office when Brown came in." said Miss Ormsby. "I didn't like him. feared him, and when he began to talk loudly to Dr. Mohr, I winked at the doctor to warn him to avoid a fight. Dr. Mohr told him that McAndrews, the superintendent, was the one to ask about the reasons for his discharge, and as Brown went out he turned, and, waving his fist, shouted: 'You won't be so well off soon.'

Dr. Mohr had been so worried by the many threats made against his life that at one time he planned to have his wife arrested, said Ormsby, and was only kept from doing it by the difficulty of making a charge against her that would not cause notoriety.

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BURNED ALIVE BY TURKS

Horrible Methods Employed in Exterminating Village of 2,000 Homes

Mytilene, Sept. 10—Horrible details are reaching here as to the methods employed by the Turks in their policy of exterminating Armenians.

One large village of 2,000 homes, inhabited exclusively by Armenians, was recently exterminated with diabolical cruelty. The gendarmes first sent an order to the inhabitants to evacuate the village. The villiagers took no notice of the order. Then 200 soldiers appeared with orders to enforce obedience. The Armenians resisted, and in the ensuing fight the Turkish soldiers were worsted and forced to flee.

Batallions of troops then established a cordon around the village. Machine guns were set in place and incendiaries sent into the village with lighted torches. Buildings were fired in every direction; and soon the whole vilage was in flames. The miserable Armenians, men, women and children were almost all burned alive. Those who tried to escape were shot.

Only four escaped, one of whom related the story.

In other instances the Turks are separating the men from the women and children, and the able-bodied men are drafted into the Turkish army; while the young women are sold to harems. The old men, the old women and the children are turned loose in uninhabited districts.

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The Directors of the German Co-Operative Building Association No. 5 have declared a dividend of $5. per share for the last eight months ending August 31st in the fifth series. This will mature and close that series, according to Article 3, section 2 of its constitution. Each share paid up to August 31st, 1915, is worth $200. and redemable on and after September 15th, 1915. A new Series (eleventh) will commence January 1st, 1916, with a limited number. Subscription book for shares is now open at their office.

JUSTUS SCHNEIDER, Secy.

SAFEGUARDING THE LAPLAND

Three Torpedo Boat Destroyers Sent From Brooklyn Navy Yard to Convoy Liner.

New York, Sept. 10—Three torpedo boat destroyers were sent last night from the Brooklyn Navy Yard to convoy the White Star liner Lapland into New York. The hurried departure of the destroyers followed the circulation of a report that a plot had been discovered to blow up the Lapland off this port.

The Lapland has on board a number of distinguished French and British bankers who expect to arrange a loan of possibly $500,000,000 to aid the cause of the allies. News of the alleged plot came to the government officials from apparently reliable sources.

German submarines, it was reported last night have pursued the Lapland partly across the Atlantic.

As soon as it became positively known that the allied financiers had embarked aboard the liner instructions are said to have been given to sink her at all costs. That the Lapland was not sunk on her voyage across the Irish Channel was due, it is said to the unusual precautions taken.

Until the ship had been at sea some hours it was not definitely known that the commissioners had decided to make their jurney aboard her instead of aboard a British man-of-war as at first stated.

One American destroyer waited for the Lapland outside Sandy Hook and another was stationed inside of Sandy Hook while the other craft was stationed in New York Bay.

The German plan, as reported, was to string mines across the path of the incoming liner, either inside or outside of New York Harbor. If this failed a last desperate attempt to sink the liner was to be made by running her down.

The British admiralty, it was reported last night, convoyed the Lapland across the ocean with three torpedo boats. These boats make thirty-six miles an hour. At no time were they within sight of the Lapland, but always remained just beyond the horizon; within wireless call.

Other British craft were scattered across the steamship lane. The Ryndam met two destroyers off the Grand Banks.

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MURDER OF JUDGE KNOWLES

Rifle, Instead of Revolver, Used On Victim is Theory

Providence, Sept. 10—A report that a woman figured in the murder of Judge Willis Knowles, who was shot near his home in Johnston Monday morning, is attracting the attention of the police. While unable to get anything to substantiate this theory, they are running down all clues that lead in this direction.

Mrs. Cora Wardell, the judge's housekeeper for many years, has left for Cambridge, Mass., to visit friends. She did not care to remain alone in the house after what had happened, but said that she would return when Judge Knowles' brother came back from the funeral in Ohio.

It is believed now that a rifle was used to kill the judge instead of a revolver. Amasi Stone ,a hunter who was fishing on the shore of Lake Moswamsicul, said that he heard the shots and is sure from his experience that they came from a rifle. He did not see anyone running away from the road.

Henry Edwards, the North Scituate man who was arrested in Worchester and questioned about his knowledge of the shooting, has established an alibi that apparently eliminates him from the case. He was held in Worcester in $1,000 bail on the charge of breaking into a hat store.

Another reward of $500 has been offered by Mayor Horton of Cranston, making $1,100 in all for the man who can solve the mystery of Judge Knowles' death.

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PRINCE SEEKS FRONT

Venice, Sept. 10—The Crown Prince Humbert passed through Venice today en route to the front to spend his eleventh birthday with King Victor Emmanuel.

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A cake sale will be held by the Ladies Guild of Immanuel Chapel in Christ Church Parish Hall, on Saturday, September 11, from 7:30 until 12 in the morning. 9-2t

CARRANZA'S REPLY TO PLAN

Expected to be Delivered to Lansing Today or Tomorrow

TO CONSIDER APPEAL

Mexican Leader Will Seek Justification on Ground That Villa and Followers Are Rebels.

Washington, Sept. 10 — General Carranza's reply to the Pan-American mediation proposal is expected to be delivered to Secretary of State Lansing sometime today or tomorrow.

Immediately after it is received, it is understood, Mr. Lansing will summon another conference of the Latin American diplomats who joined with him in signing the "get-to-gether" appeal.

The conference is expected to be held before next Wednesday when Ambassador Noan, the representative here of Argentina, will sail for Buenos Ayres on a leave of absence. It is generally believed that this next meeting will finally determine whether or not Carranza is to be ignored.

Carranza's reply will be a rejection of the mediation proposal. As heretofore indicated, he will seek to justify his stand on the ground that he represents the only organized government in Mexico; and that Villa and his followers are merely rebels.

In this connection it can be stated General Carranza will assume that President Lincoln would have adopted exactly the same stand had Great Britain or any other power during the American civil war demanded that he should treat with the confederates on an equal footing.

Continued military successes for the first chief have placed him in a strong position and one which must be considered by this Government and the other outside powers in any decision to ignore him.

Reports from Vera Cruz tell of efforts on the part of Carranza's cabinet officials to charge Secretary Lansing with having been in the employ of General Huerta, and, therefore, with having a bond of sympathy with the old cientifico group.

When this charge was brought to the attention of Secretary Lansing he frankly admitted having acted as counsel for the Mexican embassy during the Huerta regime, but explained that, at that time, he had no connection whatever with the State Department.

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SNAKE ENTERS SCHOOLROOM

Teacher Climbs on Chair, Children Leave By Windows

Chesapeake City, Md., Sept. 10—The 36 children in the third grade were thrown into a panic yesterday, when a black snake 39 inches long wriggled its way into the room. Several of the children vaulted out of the windows and the teacher, Miss Emma Willis, jumped on a chair.

The snake passed entirely through the room and headed for the fourth and fifth grades, Miss Mary Walters, teacher. It then went under the cellar door into the basement, where it was killed by some of the older boys.

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HE SEES MILLIONS IN IT

Congressman Randall Asserts Uncle Sam is Robbed by Railroads

Los Angeles, Sept. 10—In a speech yesterday before the United Association of Post Office Clerks, in convention here, Congressman C. H. Randall, of California, who was once a railway mail clerk, charged that the railroads of the country were defraudin gthe Government in the matter of payments for handling the mails.

"I undertake to say," he said, "that this Government has been robbed of hundreds of millions of dollars by over-charges and downright frauds on the part of the railways. Yet the country is literally flooded with literature and inspired editorials, which attempt to prove that the Post Office Department is treating the railways in a niggardly fashion."

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PREPARE FOR REUNION

Alexandria Elks to Meet Monday Night to Award Contract For Decorations

Plans for decorating Alexandria in an elaborate manner for the occasion of the reunion of the Elks of Virginia here in October have been completed by the local committee and a contract wil be let for the work on Monday night when the committee meets in the Elks' Home.

King street from the Union Station to the Elks' Home on Prince street will be draped with purple and white, the Elks' colors, intertwined with the American flag. Arches on which the words "Welcome B. P. O. E." will be placed, are to be erected at each intersecting street and the trolley poles on both sides of the streets are to bear pennants. A court of honor will be erected at the intersection of King and Washington street.

The committee will mail letters to all the merchants in the city asking them to decorate the fronts of their buildings and to make an electric display at night when the Washington Elks will parade down King street..

LATE THOS. A GROVES

Funeral services for Thomas A. Groves, who died Wednesday at his home, 22 Eighth street, northeast, Washington, will take place at 4 o'clock tomorrow afternoon from the First Baptist Church, this city and will be conducted by the Rev. W. F. Watson, D.D., pastor. Mr. Groves was 73 years old. For many years he owned a furniture store in this city.

SCOTTISH RITE MASONS

Washington Memorial Lodge of Perfection, Scottish Rite Masons, will meet tonight in Masonic Temple when arrangements will be made to take part in the ceremonies in connection with the dedication of the Scottish Rite Temple in Washington next month.

DEATH NOTICE

DIED—At 5 p. m. Wednesday, T. A. GROVES, at 22 Eighth St., N. E., Washington, suddenly in his seventy-third year. Funeral will take place at the First Baptist Church, this city, Saturday, at 4 p. m. 9-2td

FOUND—This morning a pair of Gold Nose Glasses, loser can have same by applying at this office and paying for this ad. 10 3t

Public Auction

Forty head Holstein cattle, a few pure, others seven eights pure bred; all under five years, but three of these bring eighty pound cows. Also thirty head of hogs from Hollin Hall stock farm.

To be sold September 11, at Baggett's lot, near Union Station, Alexandria, Virginia. Sale begins at 10:30 rain or shine.

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PREVAILING HOT WAVE

Mercury in Thermometer Soared Yesterday—Conditions Slightly Improved Today

Yesterday was the most trying September day that the people of Alexandria and vicinity have suffered for a long time. The mercury climbed to the 93 mark.

The weather bureau offers no relief for the present from the hot spell Temperatures are high in the Ohio Valley, and are likely to continue so, but it is cool away out West, it being down to 54 degrees out in Montana. But that means nothing to people in this zone. Even if that cool wave should be headed this way; the chances are that it would be very much warmed up by the time it reaches here and would be of no benefit.

The mercury registered 101 degrees on September 7, 1881.

Conditions improved somewhat during last night and northwest Zephyrs were in evidence this morning.

LOCAL BREVITIES

Governor Henry C. Stuart has appointed Peter G. Jackson a notary public.

Memorial services will be held in the Jewish cemetery Sunday morning at 10:45. In case of inclement weather the services will be held in the synagogue.

The fourth anniversary of the establishment of the Boy Scouts of Alexandria will be observed with special exercises in the Westminister Building tonight.

Mrs. John M. Wells residing at 213 Commerce street has a night blooming cereus which opened last night. It is pronounced a beauty by by all who have seen it.

Clerk Kirk, of the school board issued permits today to children living east of Hooff's Run to attend the public schools. Yesterday he issued more than 500 permits to colored children to attend school.

W. N. Lipscomb, examiner of records of the eighteenth judicial circuit of Virginia spent today in Alexandria in interviewing merchants in reference to their sales for the past five years upon which their licenses for state taxes are based.

The coroner's jury which is holding an inquest over the remains of an unidentified negro who was found under the Duke St. bridge on the Washington Southern Railway will meet tonight at Demaine's undertaking establishment to hear the testimony of several witnesses.

FOR SALE—Cigar store to quick buyer. Good business place 114 N. Royal street. 9-3t.

ANNUAL MEETING

Notice:—The annual meeting of the stockholders of the Union Building Company the election of officers and directors and for transaction of such other business as may come before the meeting will be held at the Company's office, 123 south Royal Street, Alexandria, Va., Monday, the 20th instant, at 10:30 a. m.

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SOCIAL AND PERSONAL

Interesting News Notes About People of Alexaxandria—Happenings In Society.

Mr. A. Katz will be at home Sunday September 12, from 7 until 10 p. m. in honor of his son, Adrian's confirmation.

Miss Ethel Lunsford and Leon Baggett were married at the parsonage of St. Mary's Church last week by the Rev. L. F. Kelly.

Miss Mary Carlin, who has been spending several weeks in Atlantic City is expected home tonight. She will be accompanied by Misses Martha and Nina Fulton.

Mr. and Mrs. Irvin Diener, of Culpeper, who have been the guests of Mrs. Diener's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Weil; at 114 south St. Asaph street; have returned to their home.

Announcement is made of the marriage of Miss Kate Mercer, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. P. G. Mercer of Casanova, Va. and Edwin H. Padgett, of Braddock, which took place on Tuesday. The marriage was followed by a dance. Mr. and Mrs. Padgett will make their home in Braddock, Va.

EAGLES TO PLAY PALAIS ROYAL

Quite a interesting game of ball can be expected Sunday afternoon, when the Fraternal Order of Eagles will play the well known Palais Royal Team of Washington on the North Alfred street grounds. Game will be called promptly at 2:30. Grand stand seats for all.

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THE AUSTRIAN MUST GO.

President Wilson has acted promptly with Ambassador Dumba. He has directed the Secretary of State Lansing to inform the Government of Austria-Hungary that Dumba is no longer acceptable to the United States. Lansing has performed his duty. The cause of this procedure is the fact that the Austrian has been interfering with out industrial interests and fomenting strikes in manufactories. He strangely thinks that such acts should be allowed to continue with impunity and is backed up in his effrontery by his royal master, Emperor Francis Joseph. Mr. Wilson has generally been patient with other affronts from the Teutonic allies during the past year and has gone to the bottom of each before acting. In the case of Dumba there was nothing to wait for; he acknowledged his guilt and confessed that he was carrying out orders of his government. There was but one thing to do, and that immediately, to request those responsible for his actions to recall him. The imperial government of Austria-Hungary may not like this procedure upon the part of the United States That nation is likely to request the recall of the American Minister at Vienna. Such a course is up to him.

The Baltimore American of today in speaking of this new diplomatic incident says.

The United States government has acted with promptness and with justifiable decision in requesting of the government of Austro-Hungary the recall of Constantin Theodor Dumba, its ambassador at Washington. Dr Dumba was very frank in his admissions, claiming that the interests of his country and his sworn obligations to his government warranted all his acts. He would not even guarantee that he would end his pernicious activity as long as he remained on this side of the water. It was his claim that he had a perfect right to ask American citizens of Austria or German birth to cease work in munition factories, even to encourage strikes therein, no matter if those strikes should lead to riot and bloodshed.

An ambassador holding such views is a menace to the peace of any country to which he is accredited. Dr. Dumba was discovered too soon to permit of his doing any vast amount of havoc, but there is no telling what might have happened had he been allowed to continue his rabid and dangerous propaganda in this country. The Secretary of State was astounded when he read the charges against the ambassador, and could not believe them until Dumba himself admitted they were all true and fell back on a plea of justification.

The summary action taken in this case shoud prove a salutary warning to other foreign representatives who have been just as active, but who have, so far, been shrewd enough to prevent a full exposure of their acts. There are members of the German Embassy whose conduct has run close to the danger line, and whose activities employed in the same manner as those of Dumba have been a menace to the strict neutrality of the United States. A careful watch on such diplomats is fully justified by the exposures that have led to the demand for Dumba's recall.

LET US BE PATIENT

Since the construction of vitrified brick roadways and granolithic sidewalks in Alexandria rollerskating has increased greatly, while sidewalks are used by some bicyclists, often at night. Most people have no aversion to rollerskating, as it is juvenile pastime, and it is recognized that young people should have their amusements. But others complain of the practice, alleging that sleep is impossible to them while the sport is in progress. But it is impossible to prevent boys and girls from appearing on the streets, especially in the summertime; and the fact that their hilarity annoys their elders is to be deplored; but what can be done about it? We are told that one of the scenes in connection with the restored capital of Palestine in the latter days will be "children playing in the streets of Jerusalem."

While some may experience annoyance during the summer months and early fall by this species of juvenile amusement; it may be in season to state that Alexandria is by no means suffering as much as other places. Our young people are generally orderly—that is they do not commit overt acts which would bring them to Police Court. This, however; cannot be said in all places.

A broadside of bricks, cobblestones and old tin buskets were hurled into the yard of William F. Dimling, 102 West Clement street, Baltimore, last night injuring Mrs. Mary Flauss, 104 West Clement street, who was visiting the Dimling family.

The war munitions were fired over the fence by a crowd of boys averaging about 15 years old. They are skaters who object to the stand that Mr. Dimling has taken to rid the neighborhood of roller shakting. Dimling obtained an option on a house in another neighborhood. When this news got abroad the boys of the neighborhood banded together and stormed the fort.

Mrs. Flauss was seated in the Dimling yard chatting when Dimling heard the front door bell ring. He went to answer it, and as he left the yard the missiles came over the fence. A half brick struck Mrs. Flauss on the leg and medical attention was required.

DROP BOMBS IN LONDON

The English people have during the past year attempted to minimize the gravity of Zeppelins, hovering in close proximity to their capital and dropping bombs. They have endeavored to make the outside world believe that fatalities or damage from such missiles are no more than might be expected from summer thunder storms.

During the past few days, however, no little alarm has been experienced in London from the audacity of German airmen, as deadly missiles have descended into the most interesting section of the city. They have fallen in the vicinity of Trafalgar Square, Parliament House, Westminister Abbey and other places in the West End.

Trafalgar Square and vicinity is the most interesting section of London. It is a forest of statues to illustrious Britons of by-gone days. The shaft with the effigy of Admiral Nelson is the most conspicuous. Huge lions carved from stone are crouched at the base with their heads turned toward each point of the compass. The admiral is facing the continent of Europe seemingly defying the nations in that quarter of the globe.

Chinese Gordon, Havelock, Napier and others who have helped make England what she is today appear in heroic proportions. There is, however, no sentiment in bomb-throwers, and these commanding figures, which have braved the storms of years are helpless in the hour of England's peril.

NEWS OF THE DAY

It is reported in Berlin, that the British steamship Southland, serving as a transport, was torpedoed recently in Turkish waters.

A Zeppelin, which left Brussels in the direction of Antwerp Tuesday evening and returned Wednesday morning, lost a propeller over Stockem. Near Brussels it fell and was entirely destroyed by an explosion. The members of the crew were killed

The annual convention of the American bankers' Association adjourned yesterday at Seattle, Wash. James K. Lynch, of San Francisco, was elected president, and Peter K. Goebel, of Kansas City, Kans., vice president for the ensuing year. Kansas City, Mo., was awarded the 1916 convention.

An explosion in the mill of the Western Powder Company at Edward's Station near Peoria, Ill. yesterday afternoon destroyed part of the plant and caused instant death to William Mohn, in charge of the incorporating department. President W. A. Moberly denied that the mill was at work on war orders.

Nelson O'Shaughnessy, who represented the United States in Mexico City as charge d'affaires during the Huerta regime, and who recently was connected with the embassy at Vienna, is no longer on the State Department payroll. Upon his return from Vienna O'Shaughnessy was given a 'sixty-day leave of absence". His leave has expired. His pay has been stopped.

One sailor was killed and nine seriously injured by an explosion which wrecked the interior of the United States torpedoboat destroyer Decatur at Manila yesterday afternoon. The Decatur's magazines were supposed to be in good condition, and it is hinted that the explosion was due to some sort of a plot. Three of the injured seamen are expected to die. None of the officers was hurt.

Amid uproarious applause, David Lloyd George, the British minister of munitions, addressed a packed hall of trade unionists yesterday afternoon, at Bristol, England, striking the keynote of his speech with the declaration that the war had resolved itself into a conflict between the mechanics in the contending nations. "With you," said the minister, "victory is assured. Without you our cause is lost."

The resignation of Grand Admiral von Tirpitz, of the German navy, was, it is said followed by the resignation of Admirals Behncke and Bachmann. It appears, however, that the resignation of Admiral von Tirpitz was not accepted, and he was ordered to remain at his post until the end of the war in in order to preserve discipline in the navy. He will, however, no longer have any part in shaping the naval policy.

Charles M. Schwab has it is said received three letters, the last one recently, threatening to blow up his beautiful summer home, Immergrun, near Loretta, Pa., if he did not stop shipping steel and other war material to Europe for the use of the allies. The Schwab servants left hurriedly yesterday. Mrs. Schwab left several days ago and the big mountain mansion is closed right in the height of the early autumn social season.

There is said to be considerable concentration of Italian troops on the southwestern Swiss frontier. They have been shifted from the Austrian frontier and their presence has attracted the attention of the Swiss authorities in connection with the fact that there are French troops on the northwestern border of Switzerland. The Italian move might be intended as a demonstrator against the Swiss forces, should Swiss territory be violated. It is held to be of special significance in the light of the campaign in the British news papers accusing the Swiss people of submitting to the anti-British influence of German agents.

Wednesday's night Zeppelin raid on London resulted in the death of 20 persons and the injury of 86 others, according to official announcement made in London. This makes a total of 33 persons killed and 129 injured in the raids of two successive nights. The most alarming feature of this lattest visit of the Zeppelins, however, was that they invaded the heart of the city—the western part—wherein are located such landmarks as St. James' Palace, Westminster Abbey, the Parliament building, the Charing Cross Railroad Station, the fashionable residential districts, and, on the edge the great factories and ware houses.

VIRGINIA NEWS

The Supreme Court of Appeal sitting in Staunton rendered a decision affirming the constitutionality of the Richmond segregation ordinance.

Silas B. Tripp, 72 years old and for forty years a resident of Falls Church, died yesterday from a cerebral hemorrhage. Mr. Tripp went to Falls Church from New York forty years ago.

At yesterday morning's session of the Richmond Administrative Board, Administrator Carlton McCarthy announced publicly that "malicious lies" about him had been appeared in the News Leader, and that he proposed to hold John Stewart Bryan (chief owner) personally responsible. He said that he would horsewhip Mr. Bryan on sight; that he already had the whip.

In a fit of anger, Mrs. Anthony Burgess, 16 years old, a bride of 10 months, swallowed a quantity of carbolic acid at her home in South Norfolk Wednesday night. Physicians say she may recover. Her mouth and throat are badly burned. Mr. Burgess says his wife is given to temper without much provocation and he knew of no reason why she should end her life. Neighbors say Mrs. Burgess on another occasion tried to end her life while angry.

That Virginia bonds are regarded as guilt-edge securities and their holders reluctant to change them for some other form of investment is indicated by conditions that confront the State Board of Sinking Fund Commissioners this week. Proposals for the sale of bonds are considered by the commissioners the first week in each month. Usually purchases are made, unless the prices asked are too high. In this manner the State debt is being gradually wiped out. For the first time in many months, however, the board has not been given an opportunity to buy in outstanding bonds this week.

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By virtue of authority vested by deed of trust dated the 17th day of November 1914, and admitted to record, in Liber N, No. 7 page 581 of the land records of Fairfax County, and on account of default in the payment of certain of the notes thereby secured and by request of the holder of the notes thereby secured, under signed trustee will, on SATURDAY September 18, 1915, at 12 o'clock m. in front of the Royal Street entrance to the market building in the City of Aleaxandria, Virginia, offer for sale, at public auction the following property, to wit:

That certain tract or parcel of land situated in Lee Magisterial District Fairfax County, Virginia, known as part of Ravensworth estate, and assessed for taxation as 583 1-2 ACRES and described in a deed from Mary Custis Lee to George R. Javins, dated April 3, 1906, recorded in Liber T. No. 6, page 414, as follows:

"Beginning at the point of intersection of the Old Rolling Road with the line that divides the land of John Javins from the party of the first part and running east along said dividing line to a point where said line crosses the Accotink Run; thence in a southerly direction following the meanderings of said Run to a point where said Run crosses the line that divides the land of the said party of the first part from that of Kary Hill; thence west along said dividing line to the intersection of said line with the Old Rolling Road; thence along said road in a northwesterly direction to the intersection of the said road with the line that divides the land of the said party of the first part from that of Alexander Denty; thence north along said dividing line to a point, 'C', as shown in the plat of Ravensworth made by R. E. Farr surveyor, in the year 1874, and recorded in Liber R, No. 4, page 452 of the land records of the County of Fairfax and the State aforesaid said plat is hereby referred to as part of this deed; thence in a northwesterly direction along said dividing line to the second intersection of the said line with the Old Rolling Road, thence in a northerly direction along said road to the place of beginning The tract hereby conveyed containing all of the land owned by the said Mary Custis Lee lying west of Accotink Run."

Terms of sale Cash: Conveyancing at cost of purchaser. A deposit of $250.00 in cash will be required when the property is knocked down to the purchaser and the balance within 10 days.

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LETTER FROM ATLANTIC CITY

Notes of Interest From Great American Seaside Resort.

(Correspondence of Gazette)

With each returning season your correspondent is found enjoying for a time the cool breezes and the health giving surf of this celebrated resort where all sorts and conditions of men are met with, hailing from the greater part of the known world. People sometimes ask the question, Why do you go to Atlantic City? Well first because there is no place like it in this or another country; second because as the late Rev. Dr. Clark of Richmond once said, "It is so far as the eye of the visitor can see a very moral and law abiding city. I have never seen a drunken man on the boardwalk and you can go to church three times on Sunday if you are so minded to keep that day as our ancestors kept it by being present at church whenever it is open, and lastly there are no binding causes as to dress or what you may do provided you observe the ordinary rules of proper behavior." We agree with Dr. Clark. Of course, if you are seeking for different methods of creation commonly called 'sport' with characteristics going beyond that to really low and questionable depths, they can be found as we are assured, but these are hidden from the general public gaze, and from the denizens of the Boardwalk in their steady march up and down its well known course. But we have been told that Alexandria has its "dens" which can be found at no great distance from the Saturday night promenade on old King street; and further that they have some qualities common to the greater underworld of Atlantic City. However, we will leave this discussion to those who may know, only we will say that Atlantic City, like other cities large and small, embraces in its population the whole range of humanity in its best and in it worst forms. with this to the credit of Atlantic City that its outward conditions appear as moral and law abiding as those cities which are conspicious for their high ethical standards; and they are far better than some other cities we are acquainted with. We speak from a fair knowledge of the outward and visible conditions of this noted resort for a number of years past.

Practically all demoninations of Christians are represented there by good church buildings and good congregations, at least on Sunday. There is a fine Young Men's Christian Association Building and numerous agencies for all forms of Christian and general philanthropic work. Nor must we omit to mention the Jewish places of worship and the benevolent organizations maintained by the ancient people not only here, but in every place where they are found.

It is well known that Atlantic City is the Boardwalk and the beach, where thousands are seen every season on their apparently endless march, or disporting themselves in the waves of the ocean. Everything else in that city is accessory, even the great hotels, to these two fundamental reasons for the continued existence, and prosperous growth of that city on the long and narrow lowlying strip of sand known as Absecon Island. And Atlantic City is undoubtedly prosperous. One has but to look at the fine hotels already built; the last of these being the great costly pile of the Traymore, while the Hotel Rudolph and the Strand are soon to be replaced by larger, more substantial and fire proof buildings, so that an ever increasing number of guests can be accommodated in more favorable, luxurious and safe surroundings. It is also said that the Hotel Shelburne is to be replaced before long by a handsome and fire proof structure. Another public building might with the most hearty approval of the travelling public be wholly rebuilt, and that is the present miserable, ugly and middle nineteenth century production, called the Pennsylvania Railroad Station. We were glad to see some of the Philadelphia papers expressing their opinion about it. It reminds one of the old wooden structure, bearing the name of station for that company imposed in Alexandria for years before the present handsome station was built. The one in Atlantic City is a disgrace to the city, and and to that road, noted for its efficiency and its attention elsewhere to the needs of its hosts of passengers, a word to the wise from many quarters is sufficient, and we sincerely hope that the building of a station equal to the reputation of the Pennsylvania Railroad, and worthy of Atlantic City will not long be deferred. But we have already exceeded our limits for the columns of the old Gazette, so we must defer the rest of our observation for another letter.

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Terms of Sale, Cash. Conveyancing at the cost of the purchaser.

H. NOEL GARNER.
CHARLES E. CORGAN
Commissioners of sale.

I, Nevell S. Greenaway, Clerk of the Corporation Court of the City of Alexandria, Virginia, do hereby certify that the bond required by the above mentioned decree has been duly given by H. Noel Garner, one of the Commissioners of Sale.

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OUR SPECIALS GOOD UNTIL CLOSING TIME SATURDAY NIGHT STORE CLOSES SHARP 11 P. M.

We will have a quantity of those Fancy PEACHES again on Saturday at the lowest market prices.

Best granulated sugar, per lb. ..... .06c
Table bell flour, per bbl. $6.35
Table bell flour, 12 lb. sacks 43c
Senator flour 12 lb. sacks 48c
Jersey cobbler potatoes, per peck 20c
Pure Lard per lb 11c
Fancy Small Lean Hams per lb 17c
Picnic Hams per lb 13c

Our Pride Coffee

Equal to Coffee sold elsewhere at 30c. Try one lb. on your next order and if not satisfactory we refund the money.

Red cartons, per lb. 24c
Best creamery butter one lb. prints 31c
Hebe Milk Product—Better than evaporated milk
Tall cans ..... .08
Try one can if not satisfactory return to us and we will refund your money.
Van Camp's milk tall cans 3 for 25c
Van Camp's milk small cans 6 for 25c
Herring roe, per can 14c
New pack early June peas 3 cans 23c
Extra fine sifted peas, per can 10c
Four cans sugar corn ..... .25c
New pack tomatoes 3 cans 23c
Baked Beans three cans 25c
Howard's Salad Dressing, per bottle 24c
Howard's baking Powder, 6 cans 25c
Howard's Pure Cocoa, per tin 9c
Fancy Lemons, per dozen ..... .12c
Fancy white fat Norway mackerel, per doz. ..50c
Royal Brand Java and Mocho coffee medium ground, fine ground and pulverized in one lb. seal cans, per lb. ..... .36c
Macaroni, per package 08c

Our Famous Teas

Mosque brand mixed tea ¼ lb. tins 12c ½ lb. tins 20c
Afternoon Green tea ¼ lb. tins 14c ½ lb. tins .. 25c
Full Cream New York Cheese per lb 21c
Imported Swiss cheese, per lb. ..... .45c
Welch's pure Grape Juice, pint bottle 22c

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Last Week Of The Great Closing Out Sale

OF THE GRIFFIN FURNITURE CO.'S STOCK

All Goods must go this week, at and below cost.

Griffin Furniture Co.

812 KING STREET

COMMONWEALTH OF VIRGINIA

OFFICE OF

CLERK OF THE HOUSE OF DELEGATES

Proposed amendments to the Constitution of Virginia, agreed to at session of General Assembly 1914, and published in pursuance of section 196 of the Constitution and act approved February 8, 1908.

JOINT RESOLUTION proposing an amendment to section 46, Article IV, of the Constitution.

Resolved by the House of Delegates, the Senate concurring (a majority of the members elected to each house agreeing thereto), That the following amendment to the Constitution of Virginia, be and the same is hereby, proposed and referred to the General Assembly to be chosen at the next general election of members of the House of Delegates, for its concurrence, in conformity with the provisions of section one hundred and ninety-six of article fifteen of said Constitution, namely:

Strike out from the Constitution of Virginia, section forty-six of article four, which is in the following words:

Sec. 46. The General Assembly shall meet once in two years, on the second Wednesday in January, next succeeding the election of the members of the House of Delegates and not oftener, unless convened in the manner prescribed by this Constitution. No session of the General Assembly, after the first under this Constitution, shall continue longer than sixty days; but with the concurrence of three-fifths of the members elected to each house, the session may be extended for a period not exceeding thirty days. Except for the first session held under this Constitution, members shall be allowed a salary for not exceeding sixty days at any regular session, and for not exceeding thirty days at any extra session. Neither house shall, without the consent of the other, adjourn to another place nor for more than three days. A majority of the members elected to each house shall constitute a quorum to do business, but a smaller number may adjourn from day to day, and shall have power to compel the attendance of members in such manner and under such penalty as each house may prescribe.

And insert in lieu thereof the following:

Sec. 46. The General Assembly shall meet once in two years, on the second Wednesday in January, next succeeding the election of the members of the House of Delegates, and not oftener, unless convened in the manner prescribed by this Constitution. No session of the General Assembly shall continue longer than ninety days, except that with the concurrence of three-fifths of the members elected to each house, the session may be extended for a period not exceeding thirty days. Neither house shall, without the consent of the other, adjourn to another place, not for more than three days. A majority of the members elected to each house shall constitute a quorum to do business, but a smaller number may adjourn from day to day, and shall have power to compel the attendance of members in such manner and under such penalty as each house may prescribe.

JOINT RESOLUTION proposing amendment to section 50 of Article IV of the Constitution of Virginia, and providing for publishing said amendment, and certifying the same to the next General Assembly.

1. Resolved by the House of Delegates, the Senate concurring (a majority of the members elected to each house agreeing thereto), That the following amendment to the Constitution of Virginia, be and the same is hereby, proposed and referred to the General Assembly to be chosen at the next general election of members of the House of Delegates for its concurrence, in conformity with the provisions of section fifty of article four of said Constitution, namely:

Strike out from the Constitution of Virginia, section fifty, article four, which is in the following words:

Sec. 50. No law shall be enacted except by bill. A bill may originate in either house, to be approved or rejected by the other, or may be amended by either, with the concurrence of the other.

No bill shall become a law unless prior to its passage it has been—

(a) Referred to a committee of each house, considered by such committee in session, and reported;

(b) Printed by the house in which it originated, prior to its passage therein;

(c) Read at length on three different calendar days in each house; and unless,

(d) A yea and nay vote has been taken in each house upon its final passage, the names of the members voting for and against entered on the journal, and a majority of those voting, which shall include at least two-fifths of the members elected to each house, recorded in the affirmative.

And only in the manner required in sub-division (d) of this section shall an amendment to a bill by one house be concurred in by the other, or a conference report be adopted by either house, or either house discharge a committee from the consideration of a bill and consider the same as if reported; provided, that the printing and reading, or either, required in sub-division (b and c) of this section, may be dispensed with in a bill to codify the laws of the State, and in any case of emergency by a vote of four-fifths of the members voting in each house taken by the yeas and nays, the names of the members voting for and against, entered on the journal; provided further, that no bill which creates or established a new office, or which creates, continues or revives a debt or charge or makes, continues or revives any appropriation of public or trust money or property, or releases, or discharges, or commutes any claim or demand of the State, or which imposes, continues pr revives a tax, shall be passed except by the affirmative vote of the majority of all the members elected to each house, the vote to be by the yeas and nays, and the names of the members voting for and against, entered on the journal. Every law imposing, continuing or reviving a tax shall specifically state such tax, and no law shall be construed as so stating such tax, which requires a reference to any other law or any other tax. The presiding officer of each house shall, in the presence of the house over which he presides, sign every bill which has been passed by both houses and duly enrolled. Immediately before this is done, all other business being suspended, the title of the bill shall be publicly read. The fact of the signing shall be entered on the journal.

And insert in lieu thereof the following:

Sec. 50. No law shall be enacted except by bill. A bill may originate in either house to be approved or rejected by the other, or may be amended by either, with the concurrence of the other.

No bill shall become a law unless prior to its passage it has been:

(a) Referred to a committee of each house, considered by such committee in session, and reported;

(b) Printed by the house in which it originated prior to its passage therein;

(c) Read by title on three different calendar days in each house and read at length at least once in each house; and unless,

(d) A yea and nay vote has been taken in each house upon its final passage, the names of the members voting for and against entered on the journal, and a majority of those voting, which shall include at least two-fifths of the members elected to each house, recorded in the affirmative.

And only in the manner required in sub-division "d" of this section shall an amendment to a bill by one house be concurred in by the other, or a conference report be adopted by either house, or either house discharge a committee from the consideration of a bill and consider the same as if reported; provided, that the printing and reading, or either, required in sub-divisions "d" and "c" of this section, may be dispensed with in a bill to codify the laws of the State, and in any case of emergency, by vote of four-fifths of the members voting in each house, taken by the yeas and nays, the names of the members voting for and against entered on the journal; and provided further, that no bill which creates or establishes a new office, or which creates, continues, or revives a debt or charge, or makes, continues, or revives any appropriation of public or trust money or property, or releases, discharges, or commutes any claim or demand of the State, or which imposes, continues, or revives a tax, shall be passed, except by the affirmative vote of the majority of all the members elected to each house, the vote to be by the yeas and nays, and the names of the members voting for and against entered on the journal. Every law imposing, continuing, or reviving a tax shall specifically state such tax, and no law shall be construed as so stating such tax which requires a reference to any other law or any other tax. The presiding officer of each house shall, in the presence of the house over which he presides, sign every bill which has been passed by both houses and duly enrolled. Immediately before this is done, all other business being suspended, the title of the bill shall be publicly read. The fact of the signing shall be entered on the journal.

I hereby certify that the foregoing is a true copy of amendments proposed to the Constitution and agreed to by the General Assembly of Virginia, session 1914, and the same is published in pursuance of section 196 of the Constitution and act of the General Assembly, approved February 3, 1908.

JOHN W. WILLIAMS,
Clerk House of Delegates of Virginia.

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